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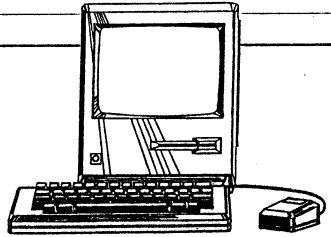
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Editorial



Well here we are! 12 months down the track and I'm still saying...
"Welcome to another issue of the GOSPYAN Newsletter!"

This month's cover is a collaboration of every issue's cover page from April '92 till February '93 (just to prove that we actually did one!!).

It's been an exciting year with Gospya as you will read in Sophia's Social Report where she does the year in review. Peter Delibaltas gives us the roundup of the years sports events and Anthony brings us up to date with forthcoming functions and events.

We would like to say thank you to everyone on the committee for their support and input into the newsletter especially Chris Hadgis for the many function reports. Big thank you to all the external contributors of articles and especially to the 'team' at Hydrowolf Graphix for the Captain Courabietha comic artwork.

We would also like to congratulate Anthony Masselos for all the hard work, determination and motivation he provided throughout the year. Without him, we would not have achieved what we did.

With the committee elections coming up on the 14th, it gives others the opportunity to be a part of the Gospya Committee. Some people think that it's a lot of hard work for nothing. Well, yes, it is a lot of hard work but, no, it's not for nothing. Not only do you help raise money for the church but you also get to meet lots of new people.

It's nice to know that in years to come we can look back and think of all the things we achieved together as a team. We can pick up our 1992 copies of the Gospya Newsletter in 30 years time and reflect on all the fun times we had. These memories will last forever.

Nickolas Marentes

Gregory Kaloutsis

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START LINE: Hungry Jacks at Garden City.

START TIME: 10.45 am

ENTRY FEE: \$5 per person

BBQ and refreshments afterwards.

Be there or we'll start without you!

PRESIDENT'S REPORT



Hello One and All,

It is hard to believe that we are already at the end of the GOSPYA year. Many events and activities were held throughout the year and I extend a big thank you to this year's committee GOSPYA members, friends and also parents for helping to make these functions as successful as they were. Through your efforts and support I believe the youth of this parish have come closer together over the past year.

As usual at this time of year, GOSPYA will be holding a Boat Cruise/Disco on "The Miramar". This cruise will be held on Friday 12th March boarding at North Quay at 7.00pm and returning at 10.30pm. Trophies for the various sports in which GOSPYA competes will also be presented so make sure that you and your fiends are there.

On Sunday the 28th of March, the annual GOSPYA Car Rally will be run. The course this year will definitely be shorter than last year's epic so get your car tuned and your team together for a fun day.

With the GOSPYA committee elections coming up in March, I once again urge those interested in joining the committee to seriously consider doing so. It is a lot of work but you also have HEAPS of fun. Remember that without an active committee, you would not have the many functions, sports and activities in which you participate.

Anthony Masselos

Anthony Masselos

QUOTE OF THE MONTH

The winner always has a programme.

The loser always has an excuse.



GOSPYA COMMITTEE ELECTIONS

On Sunday the 14th of March 1993, after the church service, GOSPYA will be conducting their 1993 Annual General Meeting at the GOSP Hall.

If you are interested in joining the committee or wish to nominate someone for a position in GOSPYA, please fill out the form below and send to:

GOSPYA P.O. Box 477 Mt. Gravatt 4122

NOMINATION FOR GOSPYA COMMITTEE 1993-1994

I nominate
for a place on the GOSPYAN 1993-1994 committee.

SIGNED: DATE:

I accept nomination for a place
on the GOSPYAN 1993-1994 committee.

SIGNED: DATE:

SPORTS REPORT *by Peter Delibaltas*

The past year has been one of great success for GOSPYA. Part of that success can be attributed to the area of Sport, which GOSPYA has always extended as an option for its members. To the credit of our sporting representatives, they have proved themselves to be both competitive and fair in their participation of sporting events and fixtures. I am sure that I speak on behalf of all the GOSPYANS, who are part of our sporting teams, when I say that being a part of GOSPYA'S sporting population fills us with pride and excitement.

As Sports Co-ordinator for GOSPYA, I am required to furnish a report at the end of my term of office. Considering the fact that I have done the last four reports, it would seem this task should have become very simple. However, this is not the case, as each year brings something new and different. I will start with the Annual GOSPYA APYGON Tennis Tournament.

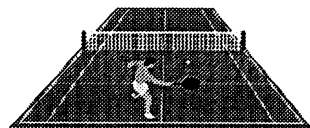
This year is the third year that the Tournament has been held with our friends from the northside, APYGON. The attendance was amazing, so much so, that there was not enough courts to accommodate everyone. In any event we managed to complete the tournament and make sure that all competitors had a good day on the tennis court. The Queensland Tennis Association at Milton was a wonderful venue and will no doubt be used in the future. The tournament was a great success and an enjoyable day.

Our mens Basketball team has continued on through the past year even though they have

had several setbacks. Restructuring the team has proved a difficult and laborious job. The team played through three seasons in the past year finishing in fourth position on the ladder in the last season, giving some hope and optimism for the forthcoming year.

Mixed Indoor Netball has bloomed as a fast, action packed sport in the past year. GOSPYA had two teams competing in different competitions during the year. The success of both teams was encouraging, however, GOSPYA MAROON ceased competition recently due to difficulties with team numbers. I am sure that if we get some response from interested players we will see the reformation of the team. GOSPYA BLUE has performed extremely well, reaching the preliminary finals in its competition. The team is yet to play its semi-final game, and I am sure we all extend our best wishes on the team's success.

Cricket commenced again last year after a long break; a new breed of GOSPYAN cricketers taking to the field. The first season of Winter Cricket proved to be one of experimentation for the team, success not coming at all to the team. However, the Summer Season proved that rewards come to



those who wait, the team gaining victories through the season. Many games would have been a lot closer, had it not been for the lack of conviction from some of the team members. The next Winter Season will in my opinion be the first season of great cricket, a 15 man squad available for selection and cooler days in the field.



Soccer, one of our longest running sports is again poised to launch for the next season. The well known team has always managed to prove a mighty opponent in competition and become the most successful teams in GOSPYA history. During the last season injury plagued the team, but to their credit they were able to battle on through out the season. It will be interesting to see if GOSPYA can live up to the performance of past years this season, one can only wait and see.

Volleyball has become a great social strength of GOSPYA sport, proving that you don't have to be super competitive to take part in GOSPYA sport. Volleyball has moved from strength to strength, and can only, in my opinion, get better. Hopefully, we will be able to run a Tournament for GOSPYA, but this remains to be seen.

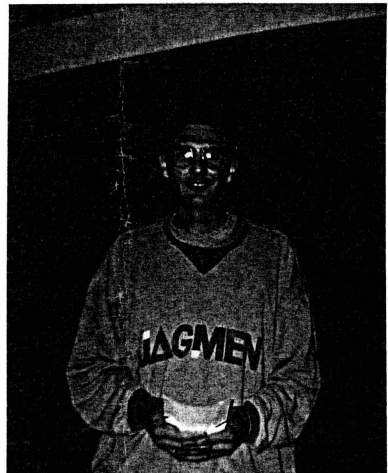
The Squash Tournament has been held twice in the past year, unfortunately, it was not able to get off the ground. Little support was extended by members and despite this we hope to try and run the Tournament again, using a different angle. I will keep you posted.

I think that this covers all the sports that we have taken part in during 1992. This year I hope to add Ten Pin Bowling to the list of sports we offer.

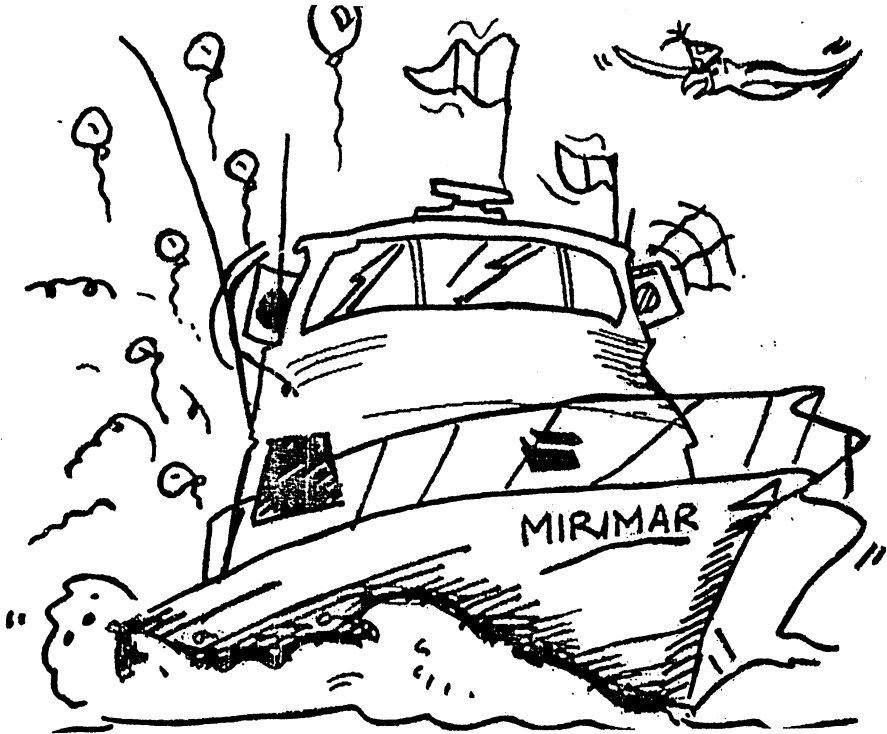
The key to our sporting success is in our members, and the key to improvement is in the same place. GOSPYA seems to have a dedication amongst its members which is seldom found elsewhere. My concluding thought is to those who support GOSPYA sporting teams by attending and participating in tournaments and team fixtures. It is these people who really make a team that is good, better.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Peter Delibaltas'.

Peter Delibaltas
Sports Co-ordinator



BOAT CRUISE



THE BOAT IS CALLED MIRIMAR
(Situated at Queens Warf Road, North Quay)

DATE: Friday, 12th March 1993

BOARDING: 7.00pm DEPARTURE: 7.30PM RETURN: 10.30PM

COST: \$8.00 PER TICKET

MUST BOOK TICKETS! - LIMITED SEATS

BOOKINGS:

Anthony Masselos 018 195598 Peter Delibaltas 345 7425



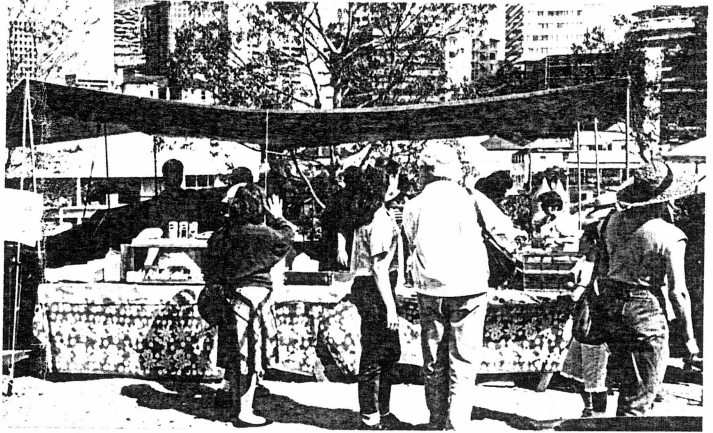
We haven't seen the CC for some time now and since we had a page to fill, we've decided to present you with a few clippings from some of the Captain Courabietha comic strip seen in the earlier issues of the Gospyan Newsletter.



SOCIAL REPORT

The Year in Review

Every year we try to make things bigger and better for GOSPYA and again this year we have succeeded. As my last report for this Executive Committee as Social Chairperson, I am going to outline our most memorable functions for the year. Firstly, lets set our minds back to April 1992 with our rigorous car rally ending up at Deception Bay. BBQ was enjoyed by all (even though we finally had lunch at 4.00pm!) and another rally is being planned for the end of March.



Gospya's highly successfull Spring Hill Fair Stall.

Next came our movie night, making its debut in May followed by our first car wash. Chris's newsletter reports have proved its success and I hope you all continue to support us.



And the race is on! Drivers run to their cars at the start to the Gospyan Car Rally.

Another first for the GOSP Youth was its attendance at the Paniyiri. It was truly an experience to be involved in such an event and those who worked and helped at the stall, I'm sure everyone found it rewarding after the job was done.



Queen of all nations Charity Quenn, Sophia Hadgis.

12 June is one date I won't forget in a hurry. The "Miss Greek Community Quest" was a memorable night for me, my family and friends. It was an honour to be crowned Miss Greek Community and also to be crowned All Nations Charity Queen in the "Queen of All Nations Quest". I'd like to take this opportunity to thank all people who supported me during this time and the Mater Hospital was sincerely appreciative of the donation.

Following tradition, we couldn't do without our combined B&S Ball in August. August was also a busy month for models in the fashion parade and our debutants with practices being held every week.

September 12 would have been the most profitable day for us at the Spring Hill Fair. The Fair ran over 2 days and plenty of laughs were shared with the Ladies Auxiliary combining our efforts in the one stall.

Another yearly event is our combined boat cruise. Again we had no trouble filling the boat as it was a perfect night to sail the Brisbane River. Thanks goes to the Disco Kid again for his talented services.

Two major events a week apart. First the fashion parade then our 10th Debutante Ball. The parade held at Mary Street was filled with excitement, anticipation, fun and dancing. Anthony, I must admit, stole the show with his grand entrance on the Harley Davidson being a newcomer to our fashion line. Models worked long and hard and I thank them for their time.



Gregory Kaloutsis and Chris Hadgis keeping a watchfull eye of the souvlaki making process at the Paniyiri.



Stauros Kazoullis helping at the Car Wash.

Ten debutants looked beautiful on the night of October 17. Making your debut is not only a moment to feel proud for yourself but also for your families. The guys looked fantastic in their party shirts which added to a great night.

A trip down memory lane when our Re-union took place at GOSP Hall on November 8. We saw many familiar faces and it was the perfect night to launch our Over 25's Club which is turning into a huge success. For any information about the Over 25's, please call Joanna Gianniotis or Mimi Stathis.

To finish what has been a fulfilling year, was GOSPYA'S first New Years Eve dance. Two live bands, 1,993 balloons and lots of food and dancing. It was great to see youth supporting our dance and thanks to all those who helped decorate the hall. It took a lot of hard work and time and thanks must go to the seniors and the ladies auxiliary for their support.

To end my report, I would like to thank Anthony, on behalf of the committee, for his guidance throughout the year and we hope the support will continue for the year ahead.

Sophia Hadgis

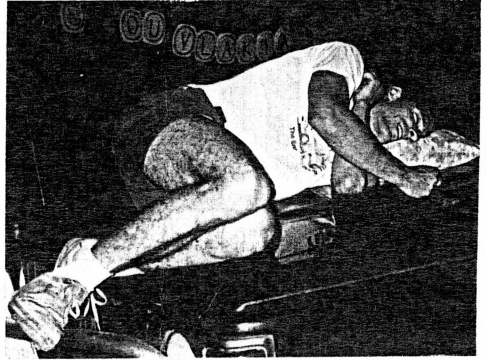


The Gospya 1992 Fashion Parade was a great success!

PHOTO PAGE



James Prineas giving one of the band players a "lift" at the New Years Dance.



An overworked Gospya President taking a short break at the Spring Hill Fair.



The Famous Andrew Samios and Nick "GTi" Bourdaniotis at Le Dolce Vita.



Marianne Tarros, Theo Hadgis, Vicki Condoleon and Vanessa Hadgis.

Miss Greek Community

The Miss Greek Community Quest is one event of the year which seeks the energies and support of all the Associations and Parishes. The Quest does have potential, reaching a challenging and rewarding level for its participants. The girls will be judged on personality, deportment and general knowledge.

The winning prize for the lady crowned "Miss Greek Community" will be an overseas trip to Greece and the winner will also be a representative of the Greek Community in the Warana and the Miss All Nations Quest.

If any young ladies over the age of 18 would like to represent GOSPYA in the Quest this year or would like to nominate any ladies, please send your nomination to GOSPYA, GPO Box 477. Final selection of Miss Gospya will be made by the Gospyan Committee.

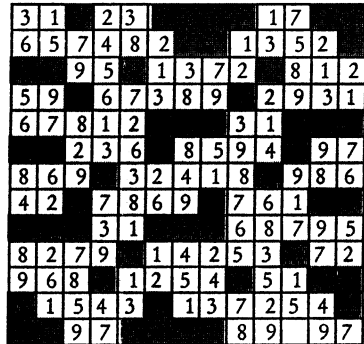


**All applications and nominations need to be sent
in by April the 9th.**

CEREBRAL FOOD

NOBLENTOS
SPELTERS

5 Letter Words				6 Letter Words	
alien	level	scaly	veiny	castle	talent
aline	lilac	seven		client	vastly
atlas	linen	slaty		eleven	
avast	linty	slyly		enlace	
calve	salsa	stale		evenly	
eclat	salty	style		lastly	
event	salve	tasty		saline	
levee	scale	valve		sleeve	



NOBLENTOS
SWMS SCORE

BOWL-A-SCORE

In order to score a strike, you must unscramble the group of pin letters and form a ten letter word. To score a spare you form two five letter words. Your spare words may not be formed by simply splitting the Strike word in two. eg. FORECASTER into FORE & CASTER. A strike scores 20 points and each two word spare 10 points. A perfect score of 300 can be obtained by 10 strikes and 10 two-word spares. Good bowling.

N R T T O R S U O P R R P E R H
G I L G H N E I L O N O
E F E E C C S I
N E A E

E L N P I C A Y R R V T
D E E G M E C C E
B D T L I E
A I O

I N R S M A H E S S T Y
C E H T L O E N R
A C S S B D
A F A

HANGELINGS

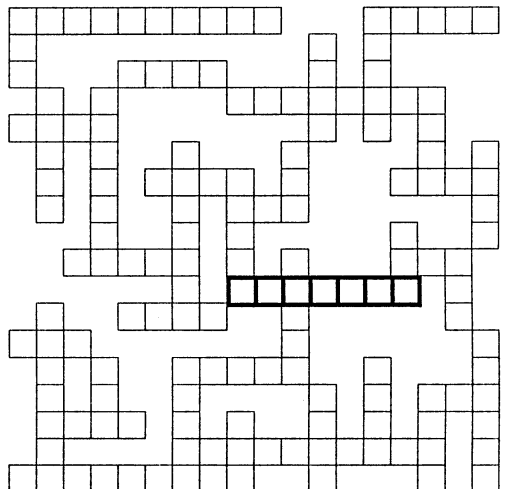
Can you change the first into the second word by changing only one letter at a time. Do not rearrange the order of the letters with each change. Each change must result in a real, everyday word; words beginning with a capital letter, slang, or obsolete words are not allowed. The number in parentheses indicates the number of changes we used.

1. NICE to KIDS (4)
2. MAKE to JAMS (4)
3. WILD to ROOT (5)
4. HOWL to ROAR (5)
5. MAIN to MEAL (6)
6. WATT to BULB (6)
7. RICH to SOIL (6)
8. NEWS to FILM (7)
9. FREE to TIME (8)
10. BEND to KNEE (9)

KRISS CROSS

Fill in all the blank squares bellow with the words in the list taken from the Lords Prayer.

- 3 LETTERS This Will 7 LETTERS
And Art Your Debtors Deliver
But Day Frorgive Kingdom
For Men 5 LETTERS Neither
Our The Bread Daily
Thy You Debts Earth 8 LETTERS
Glory Power Hallowed
4 LETTERS Their Thine Heavenly
Also Amen
Come Done 6 LETTERS 10 LETTERS
Evil From Father Temptation
Give Into Heaven Trespasses
Lead Name



GOSPYAN CALENDAR

MARCH 1992						
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1 START OF LENT	2	3	4	5 CHURCH SERVICE EVERY FRIDAY TILL EASTER	6
7	8	9 SAINT SARANTOS	10	11	12 BOAT CRUISE	13
14 GOSPYA ELECTIONS	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 "EVANGELISMOS TIS THEOTOKOU" GREEK ETHNIC DAY	26	27
28 CAR RALLEY	29	30	31			

01 - RELIGIOUS DATE: Start of Lent

05 - CHURCH SERVICE FOR THE VIRGIN MARY: Every friday.

09 - RELIGIOUS DATE: Saint Sarantos

12 - BOAT CRUISE: See advertisement.

14 - GOSPYA ELECTIONS: GOSP Hall after Church.

25 - RELIGIOUS DATE: "Evangelismos tis Theotokou".

25 - GREEK ETHNIC DAY

28 - CAR RALLEY: See advertisement.